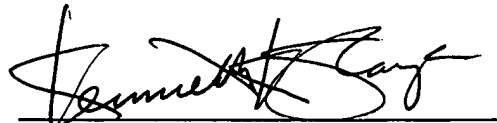


REMARKS

The specification has been amended in accordance with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.84(a)(2)(iv).

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